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Our Case No. 12854/41  
WARF Ref. No. P03170US

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Helgeson *et al.* )  
Application No. 10/755,966 ) Examiner: Medina A. Ibrahim  
Filing Date: 1/12/2004 ) Group Art Unit No. 1638  
For POTATO GENES FOR )  
RESISTANCE TO LATE BLIGHT )

## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mali Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks / Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.